

Appl. No. 10/680,980 Resp. Dated January 16, 2006 Reply to Final Office Action of November 14, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of:

Werner KNEBEL

Serial No.:

10/680,980

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October 8, 2003

For:

SCANNING MICROSCOPE HAVING A MIRROR FOR

COUPLING-IN A MANIPULATING LIGHT BEAM

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the final office action dated November 14, 2005 received in the above-identified application, applicant hereby respectfully requests reconsideration of the application based on the following amendments and remarks.

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Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action (7 pages) in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.

Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27. []

[X] No fee for additional claims is required.

A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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 - [] Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - [] Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - [] Other:
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this [X] communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by [X] check submitted herewith.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17. [X]

Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, [X] and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

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